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Rampal Finally Arrested; 5 Women & An Infant Killed In Violence
Baba Black Sheep Goes To Jail

15,000 Followers
Freed, 500 Held
For Violence

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Bombay's Challenger (left): After two weeks of intense defiance of the judiciary and the police, controversial preacher Baba Rampal was arrested outside his Mumbai residence. In the series of political battles between the religious leader and the police... continued on Wednesday.

TULL COVERAGE **P-28**

Political parties have been in a stalemate and輪番上場 at their respective headquarters and residential locations. Five women and an infant were killed in the preceding day's violence, while more than 500 people, including wo-

STANDOFF ENDS HOURS AFTER RAJNATH NUDGE

► Heraura police arrested former Sardar Atal Bihari Vajpayee, while 200 others were in an ambulance. They freed it about an hour after medical tests showed no signs of life.

► Arrest comes hours after Union home minister Rajnath Singh called up CM M.L. Khattar, telling him to put an end to the violence as soon as possible.

► 20,000 followers, including from outside since Thursday night, many say they were detained at the Akshar Bhawan, used as a temporary shelter.

► Earlier in the day, ashram hands over six bodies, including that of an infant, to police.

► Rampal escaped with sedition charges, his son and cousin among 200 detained through the day.

► 70 journalists and 110 cops were injured.

► After a 12-hour stand-off between the police and authorities, Rampal had held off against the cops without stopping, creating a scene of total disorder.

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► **Forced to stay**, P-15

College girl's 'honour killing' rocks Delhi

Reena Shukla/reenashukla.com

New Delhi: The death of Reena Kaur, 21, a year-old final year student of Sri Venkateswara College, a prestigious institution in Delhi University's south campus, was yesterday mourned by her family members and friends, who had come to pay their respects with a team of police officers.

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► **Promised marriage**, P-12

Bid to kidnap tycoon using AK-47 foiled

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EVS paper scoring error may have failed many HSC students

Vineetika Verma/vineetika.com

Mumbai: Nearly a thousand HSC students in the Maharashtra region faced a paper scoring error in the 2013-14 academic year.

► The Maharashtra State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education's examination division informed that several students had failed the subject. Since EVS is a compulsory subject, students who failed it failed in the board exams.

► The state board could not give an exact number of failed students across Mumbai and its suburbs due to a lack of information, reported news sites.

► Until the 2012-13 academic year, examination results

were graded on a scale of 0 to 100, and marks were given in increments of 10.

► **Modified results**, P-28

'Contactless' cards to ease payments

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Mumbai: Contactless payment technology, which promises to speed up transactions in a matter of seconds, has now become a reality.

► EVS was a graded subject for XI, XII and the 2012-13 academic year.

► From 2013-14, it became an additional 50 marks subject, which students have to submit a project.

► Making it mandatory subjects meant students who failed EVS would fail in HSC.

► **Modified results**, P-28

India has world's largest no. of voluntary givers

Tara Nair/Morion

Mumbai: If "charitable" can be measured in terms of giving, India tops the charts when it comes to the largest number of people who give money to others.

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► **The PARAMETERS** ► No. of people giving annually ► % of people giving monthly ► % of people giving weekly ► % of people giving daily

► **Modest results**, P-28

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2 dengue deaths
in city in 48 hours;
year's toll up to 15

HC: CBI can't drop Chavan's name from Adarsh case

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Mumbai: The deadly disease is sweeping across the city once again, with a citywide 15-year-old boy and a 10-year-old girl among the latest victims.

► Adarsh's son died today because of a high fever, which had been running for three days.

► **Confirmed cases** of dengue in Mumbai, P-14

► **The India Score**, P-3, 31, 38

White Viraj Bhosale, 13, died at Shyam Park Hospital, Andheri, on Saturday morning. His mother, 40-year-old BMC chief epidemiologist officer Dr Meenakshi Goval, and the 10-year-old BMC Hospital, Park, on Tuesday.

► **Adarsh** is suffering from dengue fever, which has been declared as a communicable disease.

► **Hindi young kids**, P-5

► **See Enraged Neti**, P-8

NCP's move to back BJP was wrong, says Pawar's daughter

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Mumbai: Wednesday's vote by the state assembly in favour of the Bharatiya Janata Party's (BJP) resolution to support the minority government has been described as a "major setback" to the party's chances of forming the next government.

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► **Pawar's flip-flop**, P-8

New coal bids to blunt power tariff shocks

New Delhi: The government will get power companies to bid for power tariff increases, instead of the current method of awarding contracts to existing companies.

► **Power** minister Piyush Goyal said that goes to ease early utilisation of power generation capacity.

► **It** is not a new system being followed by the ministry.

► **It** is intended to prevent a race to the bottom.

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